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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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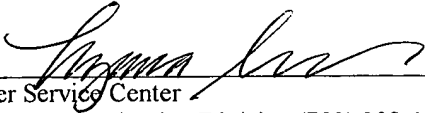
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In re the Application of:

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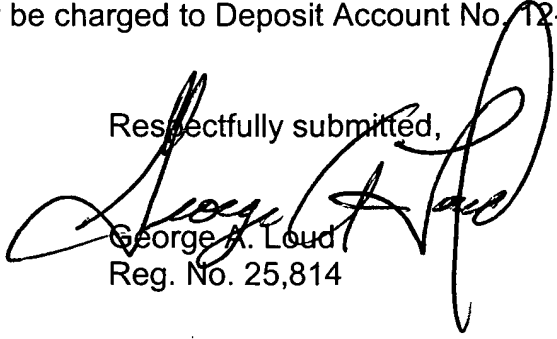
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Sir:

Responsive to the notice dated July 20, 2004, (copy attached), submitted herewith is an executed declaration and a credit card payment form in the amount of \$900.00 in payment of the filing fee and surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(l).

Any additional fees required may be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-2174.

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